

# LIVES LOST AT DAYTON ABOUT 200

## Undertakers Claim Number Is 800.

### HEAVY PROPERTY LOSS

#### Latest Estimate Places Damage at \$50,000,000.

South Dayton, O., March 29.—Dayton's loss of life probably will not exceed 200. This estimate is based upon a personal canvass of almost a hundred of Dayton's leading citizens, men of unquestioned judgment and reliability, who have been engaged in relief and rescue work in every section of the city ever since the rising waters invaded the business section.

Eight hundred dead is the average estimate of seven-eighths of Dayton's undertakers who were called together for a conference. They reported eighty-two bodies had been recovered. These are now at various places in the city. Individual estimates of the undertakers were from 500 to 1,000, but the consensus of opinion was that 800 would be a conservative figure. Explorations of several recesses of the city by newspaper men hardly would justify such an estimate.

Orders had been issued for all bodies to be brought to a general morgue established in a garage. This had not been heeded, as less than half the number of bodies found, according to the undertakers, had been brought there.

There has been keen competition among the undertakers for possession of unidentified bodies and many of them have been taken to undertaking establishments not under water.

Based on General Survey.

A general call for all undertakers to meet was sent out by John H. Patterson, in charge of relief work, in an effort to have the work of recovering bodies organized. Thirty undertakers were present and all said they based their estimates of the dead upon a general survey of the situation.

Louisville lifesavers made a trip into Riverside and North Dayton sections where it was feared there had been great loss of life. They did not find a body and said they believed few would be found. An expedition of Cleveland naval reserves brought an identical report.

Since so large a part of the city had been explored and information obtained failed to bear out earlier estimates of great life loss the announcement of the undertakers came as a surprise to those most familiar with the situation.

The property loss, purely tangible and real, will probably exceed \$50,000,000. This includes damage to real estate and public works in those parts of the city where this sort of property is most valuable; to automobile stores in two leading garages and other personal property, much of which was owned by the prosperous residents; to manufacturing, mercantile and jewelers' stocks, which were swept away; public utility plants and equipment, and it includes also the cost of rebuilding miles of asphalt streets and walks which were ripped up.

Where Casualties Occurred.

The loss of life is confined almost entirely to North Dayton, inhabited by foreigners and laborers; West Dayton, which comprises districts of a more substantial character, and to Riverside. In Dayton View and other residence districts there was almost no loss of life.

Several lives are known to have been lost in the business district, but none of the rumors that human beings had perished in the fire which swept two city blocks would stand the test of investigation. A score of cool headed men who were in some of the buildings and others who watched the fire from across the street assert positively that every occupant of the burning buildings escaped.

The flood assumed dangerous aspects early Tuesday morning before most people had started to work. Consequently the loss of life in Riverdale, North Dayton and West Dayton was occasioned when dwellings, mostly of light construction, were swept away and shattered by the swiftly moving current, leaving the occupants, who had fled to safety in the second stories, to fight for their lives in the water.

## BROOKVILLE TOLL SIXTEEN

### Fearful Six Others Who Are Missing Perished.

Brookville, Ind., March 29.—Sixteen known dead, half a dozen missing, a heavy loss of property and live stock and a food and fuel famine imminent is the situation in Brookville, the result of Monday night's flood. It is feared many of those rescued will die from the effects of exposure.

There are six persons missing and it is feared that they have been drowned and their bodies washed away or buried in the debris that has not yet been searched.

## DAYTON NOW FACES MENACE OF DISEASE

### Dead Animals and Broken Sewers Present Problem.

South Dayton, O., March 29.—Dayton's period of reconstruction will run into months, according to engineers just returning from the flood districts. The disposition of dead animals and the disinfecting of thousands of submerged homes presents the most pressing problem.

No attempt at rebuilding the sewerage system will be made for several days. Until this is accomplished, it was conceded, the menace of disease will not vanish.

Reports of looting in some sections of Central Dayton district were reported, but it was believed raiding was restricted to isolated instances. One man who was said to have filled several suit cases with jewelry was arrested. Reports that several looters had been shot could not be confirmed.

A bulletin issued from the office of the president of the citizens' committee gave particular warning to guard against disease.

## TRACE KILLING TO FIREBUG

### Chicago Italian Believed Slain by Danville Incendiary.

Chicago, March 29.—Casper Portuese, who died here as a result of being shot at, was the victim of an assassin, whom police are trying to connect with an incendiary fire in Danville, Ill., six months ago.

Portuese had confessed to a share in the burning of a house in Danville and on his evidence convictions were obtained against his sister and her husband, Vincenzo Misuraci, and Portuese's brother, Antonio Portuese. The Misuracis were released on bonds pending an appeal. They came to Chicago.

## FOUR DEAD AT ZANESVILLE

### Property Loss Is Estimated at About \$8,000,000.

Zanesville, O., March 29.—With communication being slowly restored rumors are rife of loss of life, but there are only four known deaths in this city as a result of the flood. Practically all the Seventh, Eighth and Ninth wards and a large portion of the Second and Tenth wards are still under ten to thirty feet of water and few boats have dared brave the torrents. About half the entire city is still submerged.

The property loss in Zanesville is estimated at between \$6,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

## \*\*\*\*\* PANIC IN ILLINOIS TOWN. \*\*\*\*\*

Springfield, Ill., March 29.—Hundreds of farmers near Petersburg were terrified when the levee along the Sangamon river broke. Many residents of the city are camping on the courthouse lawn. No one was killed.

## \*\*\*\*\* WHOLE FAMILY IS DROWNED \*\*\*\*\*

### Couple and Six Children Try to Escape From Wrecked Home.

Dayton, O., March 29.—Charles Potter, his wife and six children were drowned while attempting to escape from their wrecked home. The wagon in which they were being conveyed to a place of safety overturned and all lost their lives.

## FIFTY ARE DEAD AT PIQUA

### At Least Twenty-five Hundred Are Homeless.

Piqua, O., March 29.—(Via telephone to Greenville).—Early estimates of death in Piqua dwindled to fifty after scores of missing ones believed to have been drowned reported to the relief committee headed by Mayor Charles Kiser.

Two hundred and fifty houses are in ruins and at least 2,500 are homeless. The residence district, known as East Piqua, was devastated and many persons there, trusting to the high levee which was thought unbreakable, stayed in their homes until too late to escape.

## \*\*\*\*\* Marriage in China. \*\*\*\*\*

Under the social ideals of China every man is anxious to marry, but no man is permitted to seek a wife for himself. The contract of marriage is always made by a third party, and often a man finds himself bound to an imbecile, insane or chronically diseased wife, whose father has paid the marriage broker a high price to get her a husband.

## \*\*\*\*\* River Stationary at Pittsburgh. \*\*\*\*\*

Pittsburg, Pa., March 29.—The Ohio river stage here reached 35.5 feet at 8 a. m. and then became stationary. Information from upriver points on the Allegheny river from which the flood came is that the river has begun to fall.

# DISEASES OVERTAKE REFUGEES

## Illness Among Indiana Flood Victims.

## FOUR DEATHS AT PERU

### West Indianapolis Is Under a Strict Quarantine.

Indianapolis, March 29.—Indiana's flood death toll remains uncertain, with all reports confirming more conservative estimates of the loss of life, while panic is attacking cities in the southern valleys of the White and Wabash rivers and all along the Ohio, as rising waters threaten repetitions of the upstate horrors.

Sunshine and disappearing waters relieved sufferers in the cities that have been flooded and authorities in charge of various localities face a great problem in fighting off disease before the insistent demands of refugees that they be permitted to return to their devastated homes.

West Indianapolis and Peru were placed under the strictest quarantine orders. There were four deaths in the Peru courthouse and much serious sickness among the refugees threatened greater loss of life than was caused by the waters.

The Indianapolis board of health quarantined West Indianapolis after ejecting hundreds of persons who entered the flooded district when Mayor Shank opened the Oliver avenue and West Michigan street bridges to the public.

## \*\*\*\*\* Waters Recede Rapidly. \*\*\*\*\*

The flood struck Brookville Monday night with such violence that all wires were swept away and bridges were washed out and no communication was had with the outside world until a courier took definite reports into Connorsville following a rapid fall in the flood tide.

Peru rescue workers report that the death list there will not exceed twenty-five and some believe it will be less. No bodies were found in West Indianapolis after a diligent search, but rescue workers assert they saw a number drowned and swept away down the river.

Receding waters left West Indianapolis covered with mud and filth and in great danger of disease epidemics. City authorities clashed over the admission of the public to that section of the city and the board of health, acting under extensive powers conferred by a law passed by the recent general assembly, had Mayor Shank rescind his action, then established a quarantine with a close picket line. All persons but relief workers are to be kept out of the flood districts until good sanitary conditions are established.

## \*\*\*\*\* Railway Facilities Improve. \*\*\*\*\*

Railroad and interurban facilities, both paralyzed by the flood, were improved and ample supplies can be sent to all stricken districts.

Stirred to fear by the catastrophes in other Indiana cities the newly threatened southern districts are taking extreme precautions against rising waters of the Ohio and other rivers and persons in all danger districts have had ample warning of a possible record breaking water mark.

New Albany and Evansville citizens were especially alarmed at the continued rise of the Ohio and all movable things were being carried to places of safety. Four drownings were reported from Terre Haute, where the Wabash river continued rising.

Vincennes is said to be in great danger, but all reliable communication with that place has been cut off. Indiana's worst danger now lies in a wave of disease that may follow the floods. The government health authorities are reaching the northern Wabash valley from Chicago and Dr. C. O. Cobb, surgeon general of the marine hospital at Chicago, with a staff of assistants, will aid state and city authorities.

## \*\*\*\*\* Bulgaria Changes Proposal. \*\*\*\*\*

London, March 29.—Bulgaria has accepted the offer of mediation made by the European powers, but with provisions that practically makes negative the proposals of the powers.

## FOURTEEN PERSONS PERISH

### Measles Break Out Among Middle-town Refugees.

Middletown, O., March 29.—There are fourteen known to be dead here as the results of the flood. The property loss is estimated at \$1,500,000.

One hundred people are in an emergency hospital established in a school and measles have broken out among them.

There is no gas and no water, but the electric light service has been restored. The water is receding.

## JAMES M'CREA.

Former President of Pennsylvania Railway Is Dead.



## JAMES M'CREA PASSES AWAY

### Former President of Pennsylvania Road Dies at Haverford.

Philadelphia, March 29.—James M'Creia, former president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, died at his home in Haverford.

## DAYTON'S FIRST BIG FLOOD

### Explanation of First Reports That Thousands Perished.

Dayton, O., March 29.—One explanation of first reports that thousands had perished was to be found in the fact that it was Dayton's first big flood. Few of the foremost among relief workers realized that persons, under stress and held up by hope of rescue, might survive for several days under limited rations.

Another reason was that scores of persons seen in their homes when the flood was almost upon them were given up for dead. The chance that they had escaped at the last moment and taken refuge in places temporarily cut off was not taken into consideration.

## COLUMBUS VICTIMS ABOUT TWO HUNDRED

### Sixty Bodies Have So Far Been Recovered.

Columbus, O., March 29.—The morgues of Columbus filled up slowly as the swollen waters of the Scioto gradually receded. The number of bodies recovered from the yellow flood reached sixty.

Through the temporary morgues hundreds of shivering survivors passed, dreading to find their missing loved ones. Twenty-three bodies lay in a temporary morgue on the east bank of the Scioto and twenty more were placed in a recently constructed fire engine house on the hill top, just west of the flood district.

Reports reached Columbus that several bodies had been seen floating in the river at Circleville, twenty-five miles below here. The authorities believe these were victims of the Columbus flood and that many of those lost will never be recovered.

While bodies were picked up wherever found the energies of the authorities were directed toward rescuing the thousands marooned in upper stories, on roofs and in trees. For miles along the swollen river there are great drifts of debris. Practically all of the bodies recovered have been taken from the edges of the drifts as the water receded and the authorities believe that many more are buried in the debris. No attempt can be made to search these drifts until the water subsides. With this in view Coroner Benkert said the death list would reach 200.

## 18 PERISH IN CHILLICOTHE

### Eleven Bodies Recovered and Seven Seen Hanging in Bridge.

Chillicothe, O., March 29.—The first authentic information regarding the loss of life shows that eighteen persons are dead here. Already eleven bodies have been taken from the wreckage of homes in the East end, where many railroad men live. With field glasses seven more bodies were discovered hanging in the Kilgore bridge, three miles south of here, but it has been impossible to recover them.

Conditions are much improved. The light plant has been able to resume service and the water supply is now adequate. The estimated damage to property is \$1,000,000.

## \*\*\*\*\* Learned His Lesson. \*\*\*\*\*

Crawford—How is it you let your wife have her own way? Crabshaw—I once tried to stop her.—Life.

# HOW PRECEDENCE RULES OFFICIALS

## Rank Still Is Big Factor in Government.

## SENATE PRECEDES CABINET

### Senator Bacon Explains Relative Importance of Governmental Positions. Says Legislators Created Cabinet and Could Abolish It, Therefore Are Above Executive Body.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 29.—[Special.]—Rank and precedence ought not to be a feature or an important matter in a plain Jeffersonian Democratic administration; but, alas and alackaday, this matter of precedence is worrying Democratic officials and their wives just as it has worried former administrations. You can't get rid of those forms as long as you continue to have social and diplomatic intercourse with foreigners and foreign nations. Even if we should shut up shop and keep away from everything foreign could we scorn the conventions of precedence? Perhaps we could, but it is doubtful.

In the first place, the president of the United States must take precedence at all functions. And the vice president comes next. Now, if distinctions are to be made for these two officers it must go down the line.

## \*\*\*\*\* Senate Ranks Cabinet. \*\*\*\*\*

The senate ranks the cabinet. Senator Bacon, who knows a lot about such things, declares there can be no question of senatorial precedence. "We create cabinet officers, confirm them, direct them to do our bidding, and we could abolish them. They are clerks to the president, at his beck and call. We take orders from no one. Through courtesy we have allowed the supreme court precedence, but we might as a matter of right claim precedence over the court. Ambassadors take rank next to the president and vice president because they represent the heads of the governments from which they come."

Senator Bacon also has his cards engraved "Mr. Senator Bacon." He says that is right; that every other person in the government is "Mr." when addressed and it should apply to senators. President McKinley always said "Mr. Senator."

## \*\*\*\*\* Will Not Hurry. \*\*\*\*\*

The supreme court is no doubt affected by public opinion, or, rather, by the change of conditions, but it will not be hurried. Often it will advance a case because of its importance, but no one can hurry the court into making a decision ahead of the time when it gets good and ready.

Take the Barnhart publicity law as an example. That was a case in which all the lawyers asked for an early hearing in order to get an early decision. The hearing was granted, but the court has taken its own good time to render an opinion.

## \*\*\*\*\* Third Party in the House. \*\*\*\*\*

Just how much force and effect the third party in the house will have cannot be known until it is tried out. It will not be a potent force, for it does not hold the balance of power. In a congress where the two old parties were about equally divided and the third had a large number of votes it would be a factor in shaping legislation or blocking it.

The Progressive party in the next house will be effective perhaps in forcing places for some of its members on the more important committees, but this will be done by decree of the majority party and not because the Progressives will have any enforcing power of their own.

## \*\*\*\*\* The Self Sustaining Postoffice. \*\*\*\*\*

About the first men who get the attention of a new postmaster general are those employees in the department who hold up the glittering prize of a self sustaining department. Usually he "falls" for it, as it will seem to be a great achievement to make the department "self sustaining" in view of the fact that his predecessors have not done so. And then begins the effort to increase the rates on second class mail, the newspapers and periodicals, although it was the declared policy of congress to give the people literature at a low postage rate.

After a time it is found that making a self sustaining postoffice department is not quite so important as other things. It also appears that if the government paid postage on all the matter now free the department would show a surplus. The old clerks want to make the people pay for that free matter as well as for the postal service which they get.

## \*\*\*\*\* Only Naval Graduate. \*\*\*\*\*

Without searching all the records, but based upon the general knowledge that is possessed by men around the senate, it is said that Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is the first graduate of the Naval academy that every held a seat in the United States senate.

Several West Point graduates have been senators, and many volunteer officers of the army have been senators, but no naval man has ever had that political place. It would appear that navy men do not run to politics very much. Admiral Dewey was once looked upon as a possible presidential candidate, but his eligibility did not last very long.

## \*\*\*\*\* The Servant Girl. \*\*\*\*\*

Even when the servant girl isn't a problem she is powerful handy as a topic.—Dallas News.

# RIISING OHIO RIVER THREATENS CINCINNATI

## MAKES TERMS FOUR YEARS

### House Passes Bill Affecting Minnesota County Officers.

St. Paul, March 29.—A number of bills passed and one failed of passage in the house. The chief bill of importance which passed was the R. C. Dunn bill providing four-year terms for county officers. The bill which failed to receive enough votes for passage was the Swanson-Wilson senate bill restoring citizenship rights to persons convicted of civil law violations on payments of fines and compliance with other minor provisions.

Sensor James Handlan's bill repealing the retraction feature of the libel law received only ten votes when it came up for passage in the senate and thirty-five votes were recorded against the measure.

By a vote of 50 to 10 the house defeated W. M. Williams' resolution calling for an investigation of expenditures made by the board of control at the state hospital for inebriates at Willmar.

## CINCINNATI IS IN DANGER

### River Steadily Rising and the Worst Is Feared.

Cincinnati, March 29.—As the waters of the Ohio river continue to rise, increased in volume by the flood waters from tributaries east and north of here, this city is facing the worst flood in its history. The river stage was sixty-four feet, with indications that before many hours the gauge will reach seventy feet, almost the mark of 1884, the record year.

Weather forecasters here express the conviction that the river would reach the seventy-foot mark early next week, probably Monday. The weather bureau also declared there would be a further rise of five to ten feet at all points above here within the next two or three days.

At Cincinnati the conditions have not yet reached an acute stage, but the worst is feared.

## REFUSE TO BREAK STRIKE

### Gloucester Fishermen Join Union When Brought to Seattle.

Seattle, March 29.—Fifty-four Gloucester fishermen, brought here by train from Boston to man the halibut steamers of the New England Fish company, refused to work when they learned that they were to be used as strikebreakers. Instead the Gloucester men immediately went to union headquarters and took out membership cards.

The company has refused to recognize the union, but offered a quarter of a cent a pound above the union scale to the New Englanders. The fishermen rejected this offer and declined to ship until taken aboard as union men.

## \*\*\*\*\* BOAT CAPSIZES. \*\*\*\*\*

Terre Haute, Ind., March 29.—While attempting to cross the Wabash river in a rowboat with Ed Leffner, Bud Shoemaker and the latter's wife were drowned when the boat capsized in midstream. Their bodies were swept away.

## \*\*\*\*\* GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES \*\*\*\*\*

### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 29.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, 87c; No. 1 Northern, 84c@86c; No. 2 Northern, 81c@83c; May, 86c; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.24; May, \$1.26; July, \$1.27c.

## \*\*\*\*\* South St. Paul Live Stock. \*\*\*\*\*

South St. Paul, March 29.—Cattle—Steers, \$7.50@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$4.25@8.00; feeders, \$4.50@7.75. Hogs—\$8.75@9.95. Sheep—Lamb, \$4.50@5.25; wethers, \$4.50@6.35; ewes, \$2.25@6.00.

## \*\*\*\*\* Chicago Grain and Provisions. \*\*\*\*\*

Chicago, March 29.—Wheat—May, 89c; July, 89c; Sept., 89c. Corn—May, 52c@53c; July, 54c@54c; Sept., 55c. Oats—May, 33c; July, 33c; Sept., 33c. Pork—May, \$20.50@20.52; July, \$20.30. Butter—Creameries, 28c@36c. Eggs—16@17c. Poultry—Turkeys, 18c; chickens, 18c; springs, 17c.

## \*\*\*\*\* Chicago Live Stock. \*\*\*\*\*

Chicago, March 29.—Cattle—Beoves, \$7.00@9.10; Texas steers, \$6.60@7.70; Western steers, \$6.85@8.20; stockers and feeders, \$6.10@8.25; cows and heifers, \$3.75@8.10; calves, \$6.50@9.60. Hogs—Light, \$8.95@9.30; mixed, \$8.90@9.25; heavy, \$8.65@9.20; rough, \$8.65@8.80; pigs, \$7.00@9.10. Sheep—Native, \$5.75@6.60; yearlings, \$6.80@7.85; lambs, \$6.85@8.65.

## \*\*\*\*\* Minneapolis Grain. \*\*\*\*\*

Minneapolis, March 29.—Wheat—May, 85c; July, 87c. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 87c; No. 1 Northern, 85c@86c; to arrive, 85c; No. 2 Northern, 83c@84c; No. 3 Northern, 81c@82c; No. 3 yellow corn, 45c@47c; No. 3 white oats, 30c@30c; to arrive, 30c; No. 3 oats, 27c@29c; barley, 39c@56c; flax, \$1.24; to arrive, \$1.24.

# Situation Will Soon Become Acute.

## STREAMS RAPIDLY RISE

### New Floods Probable in Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky.

Chicago, March 29.—With the situation somewhat alleviated in the flood swept districts of Ohio and Indiana a new menace threatened in the rise of rivers in the southern valleys of both states. At Cincinnati the Ohio, swelled by its tributaries north and south, caused alarm and, although the situation had not yet reached an acute stage, reports from neighboring Kentucky towns indicated that warning had been issued to the inhabitants to seek points of safety from the rising waters.

In Indiana alarm was felt in the valleys of the Ohio, Wabash and White rivers, but ample warning served in a measure to reduce the panic.

While no loss of life has occurred in the newly threatened districts indications from Cincinnati are that conditions are becoming worse. At Covington, Ky., more than 500 houses are under water.

At Dayton, O., Peru, Ind., and other cities recently flooded, conditions are rapidly improving, including further reductions in the death list, a rapid pouring in of supplies and strong measures against the depredations of looters and the interference of sight-seers.

Extensive explorations by boat throughout previously isolated sections of Dayton tended to confirm former estimates that the loss of life there would not exceed 200. This estimate was based upon observations by lifesavers and newspaper men, but late reports from an assemblage of undertakers swelled the list to 800.

## \*\*\*\*\* Many Thought Dead Are Safe. \*\*\*\*\*

It was pointed out, however, that in many instances communities of residents, who were supposed to have been drowned, had made their way to safety. Indications also were that most of the victims were drowned in North Dayton, the foreign settlement, and that few perished in the center of the city.

At Zanesville the cold wave aggravated the suffering, but the death list totaled only four. At Chillicothe conditions were improved, the death list standing at eighteen.

At Columbus fifty-six bodies had been recovered from the waters and the coroner estimated the total number of victims at 200.

In Southern Indiana fear of a new flood was especially felt at New Albany, Evansville, Terre Haute and Vincennes. Ample warning, however, had been issued to those living in the threatened sections.

Strict quarantine has been established at West Indianapolis and Peru to ward off sickness, which is the great danger now menacing the populace. The known death list at Brookville totals sixteen, with several missing.

In Illinois Governor Dunne has been asked for troops to protect the levee at Shawneetown. The levee has broken near Petersburg, but there has been no loss of life.

## ALLENS PAY DEATH PENALTY

### Father and Son Electrocutated at Richmond, Va.

Richmond, Va., March 29.—Floyd Allen, leader of the outlaw band in Carroll county, was executed in the state penitentiary.

The aged prisoner, terribly unerved by the excitement incident to the delay of six hours in carrying out the sentence, went to the chair at 1:20 p. m. He was pronounced dead at 1:26 p. m.

The prison guards brought Claude Swanson Allen, son of Floyd, into the death chamber at 1:30 p. m. He was executed at 1:35 p. m.

## WHITE SLAVERS AT OMAHA

### Found Taking in Refugees in Cyclone District.

Omaha, March 29.—White slavers menaced the peace of Omaha for the first time since Sunday's tornado. They were discovered taking in refugees in the stricken district and the detective force of the city was put to work at once rounding up suspects. Some of them became so bold as to represent themselves as relief workers and began taking young girl refugees into homes which apparently had been furnished to attract white slave victims.

Two women and one man were arrested. They are believed to have come from Chicago.

Funds for the relief of tornado victims continue to pour in. The relief committee sees the necessity for a great deal more money and is making additional appeals for outside assistance.



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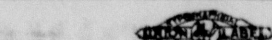
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## THE WEATHER

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Minimum 16 above.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

C. C. Kyle of St. Paul is in Brainerd.  
F. E. Stout went to St. Paul today.  
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Mrs. C. Bruhn is visiting friends in  
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Grant Bronson came from Merri-  
field today.

John L. Smith returned today to  
Minneapolis.

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Mrs. J. B. Williams returned today  
from Minneapolis.

Mrs. Mat Fitzgerald of Staples is  
the guest of Mrs. Charles G. Sunley.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R.  
—Advtd 244tf

Miss Bertha Long went to Lenox  
this afternoon to resume her school  
teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Johnson went  
to Rail Prairie today to visit friends  
and relatives.

For ice cream phone Turner Bros.  
—Advtd. 247

Mr. Cerny B. Purdy has returned  
from Staples where he tested a car-  
load of horses.

Arch McKay, a prominent attorney  
of Superior, is in the city attending  
to mining matters.

For furniture and stove bargains  
see D. M. Clark's display windows.  
—Advtd. 244tf

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wise have re-  
turned from a visit at Shakopee where  
they took the baths at Mudlavia.

Harry Greger and Percy Carbine  
went to Duluth today to attend the  
state Sunday school convention.

Wilson Bradley, secretary and  
treasurer of the Oreland Townsite  
company, was in Brainerd yesterday.

T. H. Considine, commercial mana-  
ger of the Northwestern Telephone

Exchange company, went to Pillager  
this noon.

More new want ads in the Dis-  
patch want column. Read the wants  
for they have an ever changing story  
to tell you.

Rev. W. J. Lowrie went to Duluth  
on the early morning train to attend  
the Minnesota state Sunday school  
convention.

Mrs. F. A. Bronsdon, who has been  
the guest of her son, Frank E. Brons-  
don, returned today to her home in  
Minneapolis.

The Ideal Cafe will serve home  
cured roast ham with champagne  
sauce and chicken a la king for Sun-  
day dinner.—Advtd. 249tf

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GIVEN BY THE H. S. GLEE CLUB

Cast, Chorus and the Orchestra Ac-  
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Much Applause

The "Princess Bonnie" presented  
by the high school glee club at the  
BRAINERD opera house Friday night  
under the direction of Mrs. Prescott  
scored a big hit.

"I tell you that's the best show  
BRAINERD amateurs ever gave in this  
town," said one citizen who has wit-  
nessed all kinds of shows for years  
past.

People expected a fairly good pre-  
sentation and they were really sur-  
prised when they saw it. For bright,  
catchy music, lilting songs of prin-  
ciples and rousing choruses, for pre-  
tious costumes and appropriate scenery  
the "Princess Bonnie" excels any-  
thing ever produced by BRAINERD  
young people.

Reviewing the cast in the order in  
which they appear on the program:  
Shrimps was ably portrayed by Wer-  
ner Hemstead. His desperate efforts  
to produce poetry caused much amuse-  
ment. Werner Lund was the bluff  
old Capt. Tarpaulin and gave a faith-  
ful characterization. Harry Fullerton  
was Roy Sterling, the fly fisher-  
man who eventually marries Bonnie.  
His tenor voice carried well. George  
Berggren as Admiral Pomposo gave  
a very satisfactory version of the pom-  
pous Spanish officer. Eugene White  
as Count Fajsetti was capable in his  
role. Frank Johnson as Salvador,  
was the bodyguard to Pomposo and  
was so funny that even the chorus  
laughed at his antics. Leslie Halli-  
day as Capt. Surf and Andrew Vaughn  
as Lieutenant Muse filled their parts  
well.

Miss Eliza Armstrong played the  
part of Bonnie and her voice was  
admirably adapted to the require-  
ments of the role. Miss Edna Orne  
was Kitty Clover and gave a most  
charming version of the part. Mar-  
jorie Poppenberg was interesting as  
Auntie Crabbe. Miss Marie Adair  
acceptably portrayed the part of Don-  
na Pomposo.

The choruses of canoets, Spanish  
dancers, Spanish students, brides-  
maids and Spanish guards were very  
good in their singing and dancing.  
Many concede that they gave some  
of the finest exhibitions of chorus work  
ever seen in BRAINERD.

The high school orchestra distin-  
guished itself and played in perfect  
time and with a union that was re-  
markable. The young musicians' or-  
ganization was augmented by mem-  
bers of the Graham orchestra.

So large was the crowd last night  
and so many the appeals for another  
performance to enable those to wit-  
ness it who were unable to be present  
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All are urged to buy their tickets  
early. Every seat is sure to be taken.

### IN NEW HANDS

The Earl Hotel on South Fifth Street  
Taken Over by Andrew Carlson  
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Andrew Carlson, formerly con-  
ducting the National Hotel in BRAINERD  
and hotels in other parts of the  
state, has taken over the Earl hotel  
on South Fifth street and will thor-  
oughly renovate and refurnish the  
place. The Earl is a 30 room hotel.  
Mr. Carlson will establish a restaur-  
ant in the building and when all fix-  
tures and equipment arrive will keep  
the restaurant open day and night,  
serving meals, lunches and short or-  
ders.

Friends of Mr. Carlson anticipate  
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the Earl, for he has the energy and  
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Language of the Austrian Army.  
In the Austrian army German, Bo-  
hemian, Polish, Ruthenian, Hungarian,  
Slovene, Servian, Italian and Rou-  
manian are spoken. In every regiment  
of whatever nationality, the words of  
command are given in German. Apart  
from the words of command, however,  
a knowledge of German is not required  
from the rank and file. All the ordi-  
nary business of a regiment is done  
in the language of the men, and it is  
the duty of the officers to acquire a  
working knowledge of this "regiment  
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## Shoe Repairing

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604 Front St. :-: BRAINERD

### WATER & LIGHT BOARD

Adopts Resolutions Regarding Water  
Mains on Oak Street from  
13th to 16th Streets

The water and light board, at its  
regular meeting, listened to a report  
of Secretary Wm. Nelson on the cost  
of thawing frozen water mains and  
adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, this department has for  
two years had frequent trouble with  
water main and service pipes on Oak  
street from 13th to 16th streets being  
frozen and

"Whereas this department has been  
to a considerable expense in thawing  
out these frozen pipes,

"Be it resolved that the board take  
such steps as are found necessary to  
so fix the mains or service pipes or  
both that said pipes shall not be  
frozen."

All members of the board were  
present. A number of routine bills  
were allowed. The secretary re-  
ported having received \$90 insurance  
money on the loss occasioned by the  
fire at the pumping station. He re-  
ported the repairs that were needed.  
The board agreed to view the station  
and ascertain the extent of the re-  
pairs to be made.

Commissioner Mahlum asked for  
more time to report on the condition  
of the boilers at the pumping station.  
City Electrician Bronson gave his  
monthly report.

## FOR RELIEF OF THE FLOOD SUFFERERS

At the solicitation of citizens the  
BRAINERD Dispatch will receive cash  
donations for the flood sufferers at  
Dayton, Ohio and other points. The  
Dispatch will see that the subscrip-  
tions are promptly forwarded to the  
proper authorities.

The Empress theater has offered  
its entire net receipts of Monday  
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kind which Dayton needs is most ap-  
preciated when promptly supplied.  
The public spirit shown by the Em-  
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at its meeting last night donated \$10  
for the relief of the flood sufferers.  
Contributions to date:  
A. O. U. W. lodge No. 47 ----- \$25.00  
B. A. Y. Homestead No. 602 -- 10.00

### NOTICE

To our citizens:

Owing to the general call for aid  
for the flood sufferers in Indiana and  
Ohio, I hereby urge the citizens of  
BRAINERD to respond liberally in as-  
sisting suffering humanity. I here-  
by designate The BRAINERD Daily Dis-  
patch to receive and forward contri-  
butions and sincerely trust our good  
citizens will act promptly.

H. P. DUNN,  
Mayor.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas  
County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is  
senior partner of the firm of F. J. Che-  
ney & Co., doing business in the City of  
Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and  
that said firm will pay the sum of ONE  
HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every  
case of Catarrh that cannot be cured  
by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in  
my presence, this 6th day of December,  
A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally  
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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-  
tion.—Advt.

### ANNUAL MEETING

To the lot owners and to the citi-  
zens interested in the future welfare  
of Evergreen cemetery:

The annual meeting of Evergreen  
Cemetery Association will be held at  
the Probate court room on Tuesday  
evening, April 1st, 1913, at eight  
o'clock sharp.

This meeting is for the purpose of  
electing officers and transacting such  
other business as may be for the best  
interests and future welfare of Ever-  
green Cemetery.

Every lot owner is a member of  
this association and is entitled to a  
vote for trustees. Suggestions by the  
citizens in general will be very much  
appreciated by those who will con-  
duct the business of the association  
for the coming year.

MILTON McFADDEN,  
Advt.—43 Secretary.

### RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved, that the assessment  
heretofore levied to defray the cost  
of paving East Oak street be and  
the same is hereby amended as affect-  
ing out lot one (1), Sleeper's addi-  
tion as follows:

Outlot No. 1 Sleeper's Addition, 71  
feet, \$74.67.

Adopted March 22nd, 1913.

C. B. ROWLEY,  
President of Council.

Attest:  
v. N. RODERICK,  
City Clerk.

Approved March 28, 1913.

H. P. DUNN,  
Mayor.

Published March 29, 1913.

## BUSY DRAFTING COMMISSION GOVT.

Charter Commissioners Have a Meet-  
ing Friday Night and Take up  
Various Selections

SALARY OF MAYOR TO BE \$1800

Two Commissioners' Salaries Placed  
at \$1600 Each—Term of  
Office Defined

The charter commissioners were in  
session Friday evening. Col. Hal-  
sted presided and in the absence of  
Secretary Henry I. Cohen, H. F.  
Michael was appointed secretary pro  
tem.

The commission government amend-  
ment as drafted by Attorney Haggard  
was taken up section by section, dis-  
cussed and suggestions made, and  
where satisfactory adopted.

The administrative force of the  
city is to be a mayor and two com-  
missioners. All shall give their entire  
time and attention to the work. They  
are to be elected for a term of six  
years. At the first election the mayor  
shall hold for a period of six years,  
one commissioner for four years and  
one commissioner for two years.

The annual salaries were fixed as  
follows: mayor \$1800 and the com-  
missioners \$1600 each.

At present, said a member of the  
charter commission, the city is paying  
\$4,800 annually for administrative  
which will be delegated to the  
mayor and commissioners. The sav-  
ing this commission would make for  
the city would be for efficiency, as  
the mayor and commissioners would  
give their constant attention to the  
city's business.

The mayor is to be the president  
of the council and the chief executive  
officer of the city. During the ab-  
sence of the mayor the commissioner  
whose office expires soonest shall per-  
form the duties of the mayor.

All meetings shall be public. Two  
public meetings shall be held the  
first and third Friday evening of each  
month at which the minutes of all  
intervening meetings shall be read.

The mayor shall have no veto pow-  
er. The aye and nay vote shall be  
recorded on all propositions coming  
before the council. This will serve  
to keep a record of every man.

### BUSH WITH REGULARS

Philadelphia North American Pays  
Tribute to BRAINERD Boy Now  
With Connie Mack

The Philadelphia North American,  
the leading paper of Philadelphia and  
one that carries the live sporting news  
of the day, runs Bush's picture at  
the top of the page and next to that  
of Laley. The North American says:

"Outfielder Daley and Pitcher Bush  
have impressed Manager Mack by  
their work in the southern training.  
Daley, the former Pacific coast star,  
has shown excellent form in the field  
and at the bat. He is also fast on  
the bases. He will be one of the  
utility outfielders.

"Pitcher Bush, who comes from the  
middle west, was with the team in  
the closing days of last season. He  
has terrific speed and is mastering a  
good assortment of curves."

Bush is now with the regulars a-  
pitched three innings in the Nash-  
ville game, allowing no hits. The  
special states: "Plank, Bush and  
Brown, pitching for the Philadelphia  
Americans, held Nashville to four  
hits and won, 6 to 0. The Athletics  
made nine hits off Case and Fleahy,  
of the Nashvilles, but Hendee, o re-  
cruit, held them hitless during the  
last three innings.

"Bush's triple in the fifth was the  
longest hit of the game."

When Bush traveled from BRAINERD  
to Missoula, Mont., his work was fol-  
lowed in the west by the mentions the  
Daily Missoulian gave him, and in  
the same manner now that he has  
risen to higher company, the Dispatch  
will exchange with the Philadelphia  
North American and follow his car-  
eer.

Talk is heard about having a  
crowd of fans make the trip to Chi-  
cago whenever Bush is put in the box  
for the Athletics. The band will be  
taken along and it will be made a  
sort of feature play for BRAINERD and  
its pitcher.

### SHOULD HAVE CREDIT

BRAINERD, Minn., March 29, 1913.

Editors, Daily Dispatch:

In your issue of the 25th there  
appeared a contributed article con-  
cerning the Stoner proposition. I  
am not opposed to the Stoner propo-  
sition if the rate is right, but if my  
vote in any manner induced Stoner  
to reduce his bid of one-fourth of a  
cent as the published article states he  
has, then I think I should have some  
credit for it. One-fourth of a cent  
reduction on a million K. W. means  
\$2,500.00 saving to the city in a  
year or \$20,000.00 in the eight years  
the contract has to run.

Possibly the voters of the Fifth  
ward think I should be criticised for  
saving the city \$20,000.00. I am  
willing they should decide it next  
Tuesday.

W. F. DIECKHAUS

IRONTON

Peter Spina is making preparations  
to build his \$50,000 hotel early in  
spring.

Business is good in Ironton and  
the mines are employing many men.  
The towns looks for a most prosper-  
ous season this summer.

### DRIVE INTO AIR HOLE

Ten Persons Thrown Into Lake Near  
Merrifield—All are  
Saved

Merrifield, Minn., March 29—  
While crossing Long Lake, a short  
distance from Merrifield, a party of  
government engineers, James Mc-  
Daniel, Jack Woffens, J. E. Lawton,  
Gus A. Reifler and Thor Thompson,  
and their field assistants, C. A. Sim-  
enson, Luther Hyde, Guy Bilyen and  
P. B. Cluff, who were packed in a  
bobsled and driving a team of heavy  
work horses, crashed through an air  
hole which had been covered with a  
thin layer of ice and snow during the  
day. Cluff became entangled in the  
harness and was thrown against the  
horses and kicked in the face and  
head. The remainder of the party,  
unable to release themselves from  
the blankets, were pulled over the  
ridge and slid into the icy water.  
Lawton and Thompson rescued Irene  
Gessell, age 10, who was riding the  
runners and was thrown into the  
deepest water. The shock and ex-  
posure have left her in a serious  
condition. It was discovered later  
that the airhole was immediately over  
a peculiar sand ridge in the lake, the  
water on the side in which the horses  
plunged being thirty feet deep, and  
on the other, where the bobsled hung,  
only five feet deep. This was no  
doubt responsible for the entire party  
being saved.

### EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

Series of Meetings to be Held at the  
Baptist Church Commencing  
Sunday, March 30

A series of evangelistic meetings  
will be held at the First Baptist  
church beginning next Sunday, March  
30. Rev. R. E. Cody, the pastor, is  
to be assisted by Rev. E. H. Ras-  
mussen, state evangelist for the Min-  
nesota Baptist convention and Rev.  
W. E. Risinger of Minneapolis, di-  
rector of Sunday school and young  
people work in Minnesota.



REV. E. H. RASMUSSEN

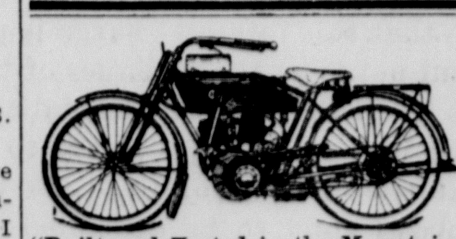
Rev. Rasmussen has been in this  
work in Minnesota for six consecutive  
years and has been highly commended  
for his strong, aggressive and sane  
evangelism. He is a pleasing and  
forceful speaker and has won great  
success in his work. He will preach  
next Sunday morning and evening.  
Everyone is invited.

### The Cause of Rheumatism

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and de-  
ranged kidneys are the cause of rheu-  
matism. Get your stomach, liver,  
kidneys and bowels in healthy con-  
dition by taking Electric Bitters, and  
you will not be troubled with the  
pains of rheumatism. Charles B. Al-  
len, a school principal, of Sylvania,  
Ga., who suffered indescribable torture  
from rheumatism, liver and stom-  
ach trouble and diseased kidneys,  
writes: "All remedies failed until I  
used Electric Bitters, but four bottles  
of this wonderful remedy cured me  
completely." Maybe your rheuma-  
tism pains come from stomach, liver  
and kidney troubles. Electric Bitters  
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—Advt. tts

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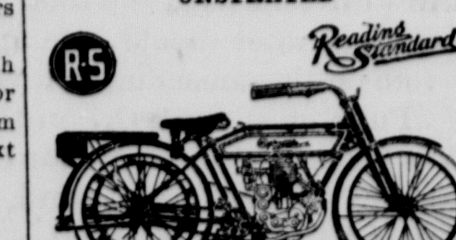
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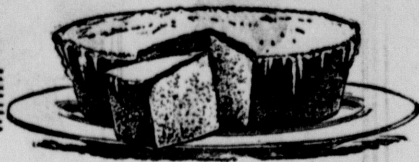
### Home Bakery

For the finest baked bread, rolls,  
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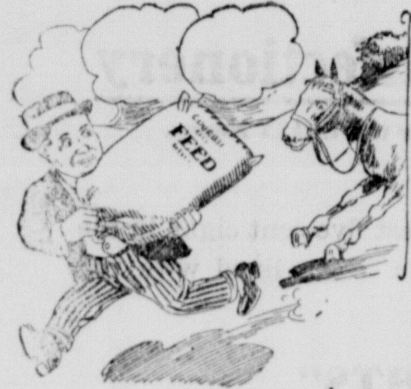
**Its Place.**  
"Where shall we put this sleepy hollow chair?" "On the nap of the carpet."—Baltimore American.

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### STORIES FROM THE FARM

#### The Man Not Ready to Be Converted—The Farmer Who Wanted to Can Something Needed

The story is told of a farmer in the woods who was making the air blue skidding out logs and he was approached by a neighbor friend who wanted him to join the church.

"Dod blasted!" he said. "I ain't ready for it yet. Wait until I get through hauling this god durned wood."

The story is told of another man of the soil who approached a blacksmith of Brainerd and suggested there was money in a manufacturing way in canning.

"What should we can?" asked the blacksmith, almost won over by the farmer's plans.

"Well," rejoined the agriculturist, "we should can something that's badly needed these days and will sell good, I think."

"What's that?" queried the man of the anvil and forge.

"Why, can honesty," said the farmer. "They need a lot of that all over the United States."

**Divination.**  
Seeress (mysteriously)—There is a dark something in your life which promises to give you trouble.  
Patron (with a sigh)—I know it. It's the brunette I'm engaged to.—Baltimore American.

### YOU CANNOT GET AWAY

from the fact that it pays to treat your livestock well. Whether you work it or market it the better it is fed the better the returns. That's why you should give our feed a trial. Commence today. We know that the results will be so fine that you'll see the advantage of using our feed right along.

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### Where to Worship

Christian Scientists services every Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M., Elks hall, Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:30 a. m., evening service at 7:45 p. m., Sunday school noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. Boquist, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Juniper and Sixth streets: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12, Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Elbert E. Satterlee, pastor.

The pastor will preach morning and evening. The Bible school will meet at twelve. Last Sunday broke all records of attendance there being present 214. The missionary collection was nearly \$28.00 this being besides the regular monthly missionary collection which averages about \$7.00. The Epworth League meets at six forty-five and is followed by the evening service. There will be special music at both services.

Sermon: "The Restoration of Peter," this will be the first of three sermons on "Post Resurrection Events." Music: anthem, hymns, responses, gloria, by mixed quartet. Evening sermon: "Religious Bigotry." Music by duet.

Swedish Baptist: Preaching at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at 12:00 m., Young People's Society meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting Thursday evening at 7:45. Kom med till Herrens hus! Karl A. Lundin, pastor.

Presbyterian church: Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:50. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00. All are always welcome. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

Sermon subject "All Churches for Christ". What a State Sunday school convention of Duluth means to our church. Music: "I Was Glad," Wilton by choir. "Be Thou with Me," Prayer, Von Hiller by Miss Rhea Raven. "Nature's Easter," Lorenz by choir. Evening sermon "What Kind of a Man Should a Girl Marry?"

Swedish Lutheran church, corner Norwood and Broadway. Services in the basement of incomplete new church. Morning services 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at noon. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Rev. Elov Carlson, pastor.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, near corner 10th and Bluff avenue. Unless otherwise announced the following order will be observed as nearly as possible: Morning services 10:30 a. m., first and third Sunday every month. Evening services at 7:45 p. m., every Sunday in the month except the 4th, when the pastor is regularly at Pequot. No evening services Easter day, Pentecost or similar occasions. C. Hougstad, pastor.

First Baptist church, 324 North Sixth street. Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at noon. Baptist Young Peoples Union 6:30 P. M. Evening services at 7:30. Rev. R. E. Cody, pastor.

Rev. E. H. Rasmussen will preach at the morning and evening services of the First Baptist church.

St. Paul's Episcopal church. Holy communion 8:30 a. m., except first Sunday in each month. Then 10:30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11:00 a. m. Sunday school at 10. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Rev. Bernard Campbell, rector.

First Congregational church, corner Juniper and Fifth street. Morning worship 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45 P. M. Evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitation to all services. Rev. G. P. Sheridan, pastor.

German Evangelical Bethlehem congregation. Services are now held in our new church building, on Bluff Ave., near Kingwood, on west side of East Brainerd bridge. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school

right after services. Everybody is most cordially invited to be present. Lenten evening services every Wednesday evening at 7:45. E. Bratzel, pastor.

Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church—420 South Seventh street. Sunday services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school 12:15 P. M. Rev. M. L. Hostager, pastor, residence 717 South Seventh street.

Zion's Evangelical church—Fourth Avenue and Forsythe Street, North east. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Young People's alliance at 6:30 P. M. Everybody is welcome. A. Zabel, pastor.

Salvation Army, 219 South Fifth street. Meetings at the Army during the week are on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 P. M. Sundays at 11 a. m. and 3:30 and 7:30 p. M. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Capt. Johnson.

St. Francis Catholic church, North Ninth and Juniper streets—Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney, pastor. Rev. John Crean, assistant pastor. Hours of service: Sunday mass 6:30 A. M. at St. Joseph's hospital. 8 A. M. at St. Francis church. 9:15 children's mass. 10:30 high mass. On Wednesdays, mass at St. Francis church at 7:30 A. M. and at St. Joseph's hospital at 6:30 A. M. Vespers at St. Francis church at 7:30 P. M. every Sunday evening, except during the months of July and August, when there are no evening services.

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### CROSBY

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In 1911 he built 20 dwellings and in 1912 he erected 30 more.

## Proposed Charter Amendment

### Its Purpose Stated by the Commission

#### To the Voters of the City of Brainerd:

As there are perhaps some who do not clearly understand the purpose of the proposed amendment to the City Charter, to be submitted for your approval on Tuesday, April 1st, the members of the Charter Commission desire to make the following statement:

The amendment provides that each year an amount equal to the interest on the water and light bonds of the City of Brainerd, held by the State of Minnesota, shall be transferred by the City Treasurer from the fund in his hands belonging to the Water and Light Board, into a special Street Improvement Fund, which fund will be used solely for the purpose of defraying the expense of paving, or otherwise improving, the crossings and intersections of the streets of the city, and such other portions of such streets as are in front of property exempt from assessment and belonging to the city.

The interest on these bonds is paid by a special levy made by the state, as is usual when the state makes loans, so that this interest charge is paid by the people direct, and not from the revenues of the water and light service, as it should be. The amendment, if adopted, will require the Water and Light Board to pay an amount equal to such interest, amounting to \$1,600 per annum at present, into a special fund to be expended solely in special street improvements which otherwise must be paid out of the general fund of the city.

This amendment was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Charter Commission, and its importance and justice should be apparent to all. If adopted at this election considerable street paving can be done this season. As it requires three-fifths of the total vote to carry, it is important that every voter should vote upon the question. Failure to vote on this amendment is equivalent to voting "No."

Put a cross mark (X) on the ballot opposite the word "Yes" if you wish to vote for the amendment, and a cross mark (X) opposite the word "No" if you wish to vote against it.

A. J. HALSTED,  
E. KRONBERG,  
HENRY I. COHEN,  
G. D. LABAR,  
CARL ZAPFFE,  
C. H. PAINE,  
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## LIVES LOST AT DAYTON ABOUT 200

### Undertakers Claim Number Is 800.

### HEAVY PROPERTY LOSS

### Latest Estimate Places Damage at \$50,000,000.

South Dayton, O., March 29.—Dayton's loss of life probably will not exceed 200. This estimate is based upon a personal canvass of almost a hundred of Dayton's leading citizens, men of unquestioned judgment and reliability, who have been engaged in relief and rescue work in every section of the city ever since the rising waters invaded the business section.

Eight hundred dead is the average estimate of seven-eighths of Dayton's undertakers who were called together for a conference. They reported eighty-two bodies had been recovered. These are now at various places in the city. Individual estimates of the undertakers were from 500 to 1,000, but the consensus of opinion was that 800 would be a conservative figure. Explorations of several recesses of the city by newspaper men hardly would justify such an estimate.

Orders had been issued for all bodies to be brought to a general morgue established in a garage. This had not been heeded, as less than half the number of bodies found, according to the undertakers, had been brought there.

There has been keen competition among the undertakers for possession of unidentified bodies and many of them have been taken to undertaking establishments not under water.

Based on General Survey.

A general call for all undertakers to meet was sent out by John H. Patterson, in charge of relief work, in an effort to have the work of recovering bodies organized. Thirty undertakers were present and all said they based their estimates of the dead upon a general survey of the situation.

Louisville lifesavers made a trip into Riverside and North Dayton sections where it was feared there had been great loss of life. They did not find a body and said they believed few would be found. An expedition of Cleveland naval reserves brought an identical report.

Since so large a part of the city had been explored and information obtained failed to bear out earlier estimates of great life loss the announcement of the undertakers came as a surprise to those most familiar with the situation.

The property loss, purely tangible and real, will probably exceed \$50,000,000. This includes damage to real estate and public works in those parts of the city where this sort of property is most valuable; to automobile stores in two leading garages and other personal property, much of which was owned by the prosperous residents; to manufacturing, mercantile and jewelers' stocks, which were swept away; public utility plants and equipment, and it includes also the cost of rebuilding miles of asphalt streets and walks which were ripped up.

Where Casualties Occurred.

The loss of life is confined almost entirely to North Dayton, inhabited by foreigners and laborers; West Dayton, which comprises districts of a more substantial character, and to Riverdale. In Dayton View and other residence districts there was almost no loss of life.

Several lives are known to have been lost in the business district, but none of the rumors that human beings had perished in the fire which swept two city blocks would stand the test of investigation. A score of cool headed men who were in some of the buildings and others who watched the fire from across the street assert positively that every occupant of the burning buildings escaped.

The flood assumed dangerous aspects early Tuesday morning before most people had started to work. Consequently the loss of life in Riverdale, North Dayton and West Dayton was occasioned when dwellings, mostly of light construction, were swept away and shattered by the swiftly moving current, leaving the occupants, who had fled to safety in the second stories, to fight for their lives in the water.

## BROOKVILLE TOLL SIXTEEN

### Fearful Six Others Who Are Missing Perished.

Brookville, Ind., March 29.—Sixteen known dead, half a dozen missing, a heavy loss of property and live stock and a food and fuel famine imminent is the situation in Brookville, the result of Monday night's flood. It is feared many of those rescued will die from the effects of exposure.

There are six persons missing and it is feared that they have been drowned and their bodies washed away or buried in the debris that has not yet been searched.

## DAYTON NOW FACES MENACE OF DISEASE

### Dead Animals and Broken Sewers Present Problem.

South Dayton, O., March 29.—Dayton's period of reconstruction will run into months, according to engineers just returning from the flood districts. The disposition of dead animals and the disinfecting of thousands of submerged homes presents the most pressing problem.

No attempt at rebuilding the sewerage system will be made for several days. Until this is accomplished, it was conceded, the menace of disease will not vanish.

Reports of looting in some sections of Central Dayton district were reported, but it was believed raiding was restricted to isolated instances. One man who was said to have filled several suit cases with jewelry was arrested. Reports that several looters had been shot could not be confirmed.

A bulletin issued from the office of the president of the citizens' committee gave particular warning to guard against disease.

## TRACE KILLING TO FIREBUG

### Chicago Italian Believed Slain by Danville Incendiary.

Chicago, March 29.—Casper Portuese, who died here as a result of being shot at short range with a sawed off shotgun, was the victim of an assassin, whom police are trying to connect with an incendiary fire in Danville, Ill., six months ago.

Portuese had confessed to a share in the burning of a house in Danville and on his evidence convictions were obtained against his sister and her husband, Vincenzo Misuraci, and Portuese's brother, Antonio Portuese. The Misuracis were released on bonds pending an appeal. They came to Chicago.

## FOUR DEAD AT ZANESVILLE

### Property Loss Is Estimated at About \$8,000,000.

Zanesville, O., March 29.—With communication being slowly restored rumors are rife of loss of life, but there are only four known deaths in this city as a result of the flood. Practically all the Seventh, Eighth and Ninth wards and a large portion of the Second and Tenth wards are still under ten to thirty feet of water and few boats have dared brave the torrents. About half the entire city is still submerged.

The property loss in Zanesville is estimated at between \$6,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

## PANIC IN ILLINOIS TOWN.

Springfield, Ill., March 29.—Hundreds of farmers near Petersburg were terrified when the levee along the Sangamon river broke. Many residents of the city are camping on the courthouse lawn. No one was killed.

## WHOLE FAMILY IS DROWNED

### Couple and Six Children Try to Escape From Wrecked Home.

Dayton, O., March 29.—Charles Potter, his wife and six children were drowned while attempting to escape from their wrecked home. The wagon in which they were being conveyed to a place of safety overturned and all lost their lives.

## FIFTY ARE DEAD AT PIQUA

### At Least Twenty-five Hundred Are Homeless.

Piqua, O., March 29.—(Via telephone to Greenville).—Early estimates of death in Piqua dwindled to fifty after scores of missing ones believed to have been drowned reported to the relief committee headed by Mayor Charles Kiser.

Two hundred and fifty houses are in ruins and at least 2,500 are homeless. The residence district, known as East Piqua, was devastated and many persons there, trusting to the high levee which was thought unbreakable, stayed in their homes until too late to escape.

## Marriage in China.

Under the social ideals of China every man is anxious to marry, but no man is permitted to seek a wife for himself. The contract of marriage is always made by a third party, and often a man finds himself bound to an imbecile, insane or chronically diseased wife, whose father has paid the marriage broker a high price to get her a husband.

## River Stationary at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 29.—The Ohio river stage here reached 35.5 feet at 8 a. m. and then became stationary. Information from upriver points on the Allegheny river from which the flood came is that the river has begun to fall.

## DISEASES OVERTAKE REFUGEES

### Illness Among Indiana Flood Victims.

## FOUR DEATHS AT PERU

### West Indianapolis Is Under a Strict Quarantine.

Indianapolis, March 29.—Indiana's flood death toll remains uncertain, with all reports confirming more conservative estimates of the loss of life, while panic is attacking cities in the southern valleys of the White and Wabash rivers and all along the Ohio, as rising waters threaten repetitions of the upstate horrors.

Sunshine and disappearing waters relieved sufferers in the cities that have been flooded and authorities in charge of various localities face a great problem in fighting off disease before the insistent demands of refugees that they be permitted to return to their devastated homes.

West Indianapolis and Peru were placed under the strictest quarantine orders. There were four deaths in the Peru courthouse and much serious sickness among the refugees threatened greater loss of life than was caused by the waters.

The Indianapolis board of health quarantined West Indianapolis after ejecting hundreds of persons who entered the flooded district when Mayor Shank opened the Oliver avenue and West Michigan street bridges to the public.

## Waters Recede Rapidly.

The flood struck Brookville Monday night with such violence that all wires were swept away and bridges were washed out and no communication was had with the outside world until a courier took definite reports into Connorsville following a rapid fall in the flood tide.

Peru rescue workers report that the death list there will not exceed twenty-five and some believe it will be less. No bodies were found in West Indianapolis after a diligent search, but rescue workers assert they saw a number drowned and swept away down the river.

Receding waters left West Indianapolis covered with mud and filth and in great danger of disease epidemics. City authorities clashed over the admission of the public to that section of the city and the board of health, acting under extensive powers conferred by a law passed by the recent general assembly, had Mayor Shank rescind his action, then established a quarantine with a close picket line. All persons but relief workers are to be kept out of the flood districts until good sanitary conditions are established.

## Railway Facilities Improve.

Railroad and interurban facilities, both paralyzed by the flood, were improved and ample supplies can be sent to all stricken districts.

Stirred to fear by the catastrophes in other Indiana cities the newly threatened southern districts are taking extreme precautions against rising waters of the Ohio and other rivers and persons in all danger districts have had ample warning of a possible record breaking water mark.

New Albany and Evansville citizens were especially alarmed at the continued rise of the Ohio and all movables were being carried to places of safety. Four drownings were reported from Terre Haute, where the Wabash river continued rising.

Vincennes is said to be in great danger, but all reliable communication with that place has been cut off.

Indiana's worst danger now lies in a wave of disease that may follow the floods. The government health authorities are reaching the northern Wabash valley from Chicago and Dr. C. O. Cobb, surgeon general of the marine hospital at Chicago, with a staff of assistants, will aid state and city authorities.

## Bulgaria Changes Proposal.

London, March 29.—Bulgaria has accepted the offer of mediation made by the European powers, but with provisions that practically makes negative the proposals of the powers.

## FOURTEEN PERSONS PERISH

### Measles Break Out Among Middle-town Refugees.

Middletown, O., March 29.—There are fourteen known to be dead here as the results of the flood. The property loss is estimated at \$1,500,000. One hundred people are in an emergency hospital established in a school and measles have broken out among them.

There is no gas and no water, but the electric light service has been restored. The water is receding.

## JAMES M'CREA.

Former President of Pennsylvania Railway Is Dead.



## JAMES M'CREA PASSES AWAY

### Former President of Pennsylvania Road Dies at Haverford.

Philadelphia, March 29.—James M'Creia, former president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, died at his home in Haverford.

## DAYTON'S FIRST BIG FLOOD

### Explanation of First Reports That Thousands Perished.

Dayton, O., March 29.—One explanation of first reports that thousands had perished was to be found in the fact that it was Dayton's first big flood. Few of the foremost among relief workers realized that persons, under stress and held up by hope of rescue, might survive for several days under limited rations.

Another reason was that scores of persons seen in their homes when the flood was almost upon them were given up for dead. The chance that they had escaped at the last moment and taken refuge in places temporarily cut off was not taken into consideration.

## COLUMBUS VICTIMS ABOUT TWO HUNDRED

### Sixty Bodies Have So Far Been Recovered.

Columbus, O., March 29.—The morgues of Columbus filled up slowly as the swollen waters of the Scioto gradually receded. The number of bodies recovered from the yellow flood reached sixty.

Through the temporary morgues passed, dreading to find their missing loved ones. Twenty-three bodies lay in a temporary morgue on the east bank of the Scioto and twenty more were placed in a recently constructed fire engine house on the hill top, just west of the flood district.

Reports reached Columbus that several bodies had been seen floating in the river at Circleville, twenty-five miles below here. The authorities believe these were victims of the Columbus flood and that many of those lost will never be recovered.

While bodies were picked up wherever found the energies of the authorities were directed toward rescuing the thousands marooned in upper stories, on roofs and in trees. For miles along the swollen river there are great drifts of debris. Practically all of the bodies recovered have been taken from the edges of the drifts as the water receded and the authorities believe that many more are buried in the debris. No attempt can be made to search these drifts until the water subsides. With this in view Coroner Benkert said the death list would reach 200.

## 18 PERISH IN CHILLICOTHE

### Eleven Bodies Recovered and Seven Seen Hanging in Bridge.

Chillicothe, O., March 29.—The first authentic information regarding the loss of life shows that eighteen persons are dead here. Already eleven bodies have been taken from the wreckage of homes in the East end, where many railroad men live. With field glasses seven more bodies were discovered hanging in the Kilgore bridge, three miles south of here, but it has been impossible to recover them.

Conditions are much improved. The light plant has been able to resume service and the water supply is now adequate. The estimated damage to property is \$1,000,000.

## Learned His Lesson.

Crawford—How is it you let your wife have her own way? Crabshaw—1 once tried to stop her.—Life.

## HOW PRECEDENCE RULES OFFICIALS

### Rank Still Is Big Factor In Government.

## SENATE PRECEDES CABINET

Senator Bacon Explains Relative Importance of Governmental Positions. Says Legislators Created Cabinet and Could Abolish It, Therefore Are Above Executive Body.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 29.—[Special.]—Rank and precedence ought not to be a feature or an important matter in a plain Jeffersonian Democratic administration; but, alas and alackaday, this matter of precedence is worrying Democratic officials and their wives just as it has worried former administrations. You can't get rid of those forms as long as you continue to have social and diplomatic intercourse with foreigners and foreign nations. Even if we should shut up shop and keep away from everything foreign could we scorn the conventions of precedence? Perhaps we could, but it is doubtful.

In the first place, the president of the United States must take precedence at all functions. And the vice president comes next. Now, if distinctions are to be made for these two officers it must go down the line.

## Senate Ranks Cabinet.

The senate ranks the cabinet. Senator Bacon, who knows a lot about such things, declares there can be no question of senatorial precedence. "We create cabinet positions," he said. "We make cabinet officers, confirm them, direct them to do our bidding, and we could abolish them. They are clerks to the president, at his beck and call. We take orders from no one. Through courtesy we have allowed the supreme court precedence, but we might as a matter of right claim precedence over the court. Ambassadors take rank next to the president and vice president because they represent the heads of the governments from which they come."

Senator Bacon also has his cards engraved "Mr. Senator Bacon." He says that is right; that every other person in the government is "Mr." when addressed and it should apply to senators. President McKinley always said "Mr. Senator."

## Will Not Hurry.

The supreme court is no doubt affected by public opinion, or, rather, by the change of conditions, but it will not be hurried. Often it will advance a case because of its importance, but no one can hurry the court into making a decision ahead of the time when it gets good and ready.

Take the Barnhart publicity law as an example. That was a case in which all the lawyers asked for an early hearing in order to get an early decision. The hearing was granted, but the court has taken its own good time to render an opinion.

## Third Party in the House.

Just how much force and effect the third party in the house will have cannot be known until it is tried out. It will not be a potent force, for it does not hold the balance of power. In a congress where the two old parties were about equally divided and the third had a large number of votes it would be a factor in shaping legislation or blocking it.

The Progressive party in the next house will be effective perhaps in forcing places for some of its members on the more important committees, but this will be done by decree of the majority party and not because the Progressives will have any enforcing power of their own.

## The Self Sustaining Postoffice.

About the first men who get the attention of a new postmaster general are those employees in the department who hold up the glittering prize of a self sustaining department. Usually he "fals" for it, as it will seem to be a great achievement to make the department "self sustaining" in view of the fact that his predecessors have not done so. And then begins the effort to increase the rates on second class mail, the newspapers and periodicals, although it was the declared policy of congress to give the people literature at a low postage rate.

After a time it is found that making a self sustaining postoffice department is not quite so important as other things. It also appears that if the government paid postage on all the matter now free the department would show a surplus. The old clerks want to make the people pay for that free matter as well as for the postal service which they get.

## Only Naval Graduate.

Without searching all the records, but based upon the general knowledge that is possessed by men around the senate, it is said that Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is the first graduate of the Naval academy that every held a seat in the United States senate.

Several West Point graduates have been senators, and many volunteer officers of the army have been senators, but no naval man has ever had that political place. It would appear that navy men do not run to politics very much. Admiral Dewey was once looked upon as a possible presidential candidate, but his eligibility did not last very long.

## The Servant Girl.

Even when the servant girl isn't a problem she is powerful handy as a topic.—Dallas News.

## RIISING OHIO RIVER THREATENS CINCINNATI

## MAKES TERMS FOUR YEARS

### House Passes Bill Affecting Minnesota County Officers.

St. Paul, March 29.—A number of bills passed and one failed of passage in the house. The chief bill of importance which passed was the R. C. Dunn bill providing four-year terms for county officers. The bill which failed to receive enough votes for passage was the Swanson-Wilson senate bill restoring citizenship rights to persons convicted of civil law violations on payments of fines and compliance with other minor provisions.

Senator James Handlan's bill repealing the retraction feature of the libel law received only ten votes when it came up for passage in the senate and thirty-five votes were recorded against the measure.

By a vote of 50 to 10 the house defeated W. M. Williams' resolution calling for an investigation of expenditures made by the board of control at the state hospital for inebriates at Willmar.

## CINCINNATI IS IN DANGER

### River Steadily Rising and the Worst Is Feared.

Cincinnati, March 29.—As the waters of the Ohio river continue to rise, increased in volume by the flood waters from tributaries east and north of here, this city is facing the worst flood in its history. The river stage was sixty-four feet, with indications that before many hours the gauge will reach seventy feet, almost the mark of 1884, the record year.

Weather forecasters here express the conviction that the river would reach the seventy-foot mark early next week, probably Monday. The weather bureau also declared there would be a further rise of five to ten feet at all points above here within the next two or three days.

At Cincinnati the conditions have not yet reached an acute stage, but the worst is feared.

## REFUSE TO BREAK STRIKE

### Gloucester Fishermen Join Union When Brought to Seattle.

Seattle, March 29.—Fifty-four Gloucester fishermen, brought here by train from Boston to man the halibut steamers of the New England Fish company, refused to work when they learned that they were to be used as strikebreakers. Instead the Gloucester men immediately went to union headquarters and took out membership cards.

The company has refused to recognize the union, but offered a quarter of a cent a pound above the union scale to the New Englanders. The fishermen rejected this offer and declined to ship until taken aboard as union men.

## BOAT CAPSIZES.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 29.—While attempting to cross the Wabash river in a rowboat Ed Leffner, Bud Shoemaker and the latter's wife were drowned when the boat capsized in midstream. Their bodies were swept away.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 29.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 87c; No. 1 Northern, 84c@86c; No. 2 Northern, 81c@83c; May, 86c; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.24; May, \$1.26; July, \$1.27.

### South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, March 29.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$4.25@8.00; feeders, \$4.50@7.75. Hogs—\$8.75@9.95. Sheep—Lamb, \$4.50@8.25; wethers, \$4.50@6.35; ewes, \$2.55@6.00.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 29.—Wheat—May, 89c; July, 89c; Sept., 89c. Corn—May, 52c@53c; July, 54c@54c; Sept., 55c. Oats—May, 33c; July, 33c; Sept., 33c. Pork—May, \$20.50@20.52; July, \$20.30. Butter—Creameries, 28c@36c. Eggs—16@17c. Poultry—Turkeys, 18c; chickens, 15c; springs, 17c.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 29.—Cattle—Beoves, \$7.00@9.10; Texas steers, \$6.60@7.70; Western steers, \$6.85@8.20; stockers and feeders, \$6.10@8.25; cows and heifers, \$3.75@8.10; calves, \$6.50@9.60. Hogs—Light, \$8.95@9.30; mixed, \$8.90@9.25; heavy, \$8.65@9.20; rough, \$8.65@8.80; pigs, \$7.00@9.10. Sheep—Native, \$5.75@6.60; yearlings, \$6.80@7.85; lambs, \$6.85@8.65.

### Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 29.—Wheat—May, 85c; July, 87c. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 87c; No. 1 Northern, 85c@86c; to arrive, 85c; No. 2 Northern, 83c@84c; No. 3 Northern, 81c@82c; No. 3 yellow corn, 45c@47c; No. 3 white oats, 30c@30c; to arrive, 30c; No. 3 oats, 27c@29c; barley, 39c@56c; flax, \$1.24; to arrive, \$1.24.

## Situation Will Soon Become Acute.

## STREAMS RAPIDLY RISE

### New Floods Probable in Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky.

Chicago, March 29.—With the situation somewhat alleviated in the flood swept districts of Ohio and Indiana a new menace threatened in the rise of rivers in the southern valleys of both states. At Cincinnati the Ohio, swelled by its tributaries north and south, caused alarm and, although the situation had not yet reached an acute stage, reports from neighboring Kentucky towns indicated that warning had been issued to the inhabitants to seek points of safety from the rising waters.

In Indiana alarm was felt in the valleys of the Ohio, Wabash and White rivers, but ample warning served in a measure to reduce the panic.

While no loss of life has occurred in the newly threatened districts indications from Cincinnati are that conditions are becoming worse. At Covington, Ky., more than 500 houses are under water.

At Dayton, O., Peru, Ind., and other cities recently flooded, conditions are rapidly improving, including further reductions in the death list, a rapid pouring in of supplies and strong measures against the depredations of looters and the interference of sightseers.

Extensive explorations by boat throughout previously isolated sections of Dayton tended to confirm former estimates that the loss of life there would not exceed 200. This estimate was based upon observations by lifesavers and newspaper men, but late reports from an assemblage of undertakers swelled the list to 800.

## Many Thought Dead Are Safe.

It was pointed out, however, that in many instances communities of residents, who were supposed to have been drowned, had made their way to safety. Indications also were that most of the victims were drowned in North Dayton, the foreign settlement, and that few perished in the center of the city.

At Zanesville the cold wave aggravated the suffering, but the death list totaled only four. At Chillicothe conditions were improved, the death list standing at eighteen.

At Columbus fifty-six bodies had been recovered from the waters and the coroner estimated the total number of victims at 200.

In Southern Indiana fear of a new flood was especially felt at New Albany, Evansville, Terre Haute and Vincennes. Ample warning, however, had been issued to those living in the threatened sections.

Strict quarantine has been established at West Indianapolis and Peru to ward off sickness, which is the great danger now menacing the populace. The known death list at Brookville totals sixteen, with several missing.

In Illinois Governor Dunne has been asked for troops to protect the levee at Shawneetown. The levee has broken near Petersburg, but there has been no loss of life.

## ALLENS PAY DEATH PENALTY

### Father and Son Electrocuted at Richmond, Va.

Richmond, Va., March 29.—Floyd Allen, leader of the outlaw band in Carroll county, was executed in the state penitentiary.

The aged prisoner, terribly unnerved by the excitement incident to the delay of six hours in carrying out the sentence, went to the chair at 1:20 p. m. He was pronounced dead at 1:26 p. m.

The prison guards brought Claude Swanson Allen, son of Floyd, into the death chamber at 1:30 p. m. He was executed at 1:35 p. m.

## WHITE SLAVERS AT OMAHA

### Found Taking in Refugees in Cyclone District.

Omaha, March 29.—White slavers menaced the peace of Omaha for the first time since Sunday's tornado. They were discovered taking in refugees in the stricken district and the detective force of the city was put to work at once rounding up suspects. Some of them became so bold as to represent themselves as relief workers and began taking young girl refugees into homes which apparently had been furnished to attract white slave victims.

Two women and one man were arrested. They are believed to have come from Chicago.

Funds for the relief of tornado victims continue to pour in. The relief committee sees the necessity for a great deal more money and is making additional appeals for outside assistance.



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Miss Bertha Long went to Lenox  
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Arch McKay, a prominent attorney  
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see D. M. Clark's display windows.  
—Advtd. 224tf

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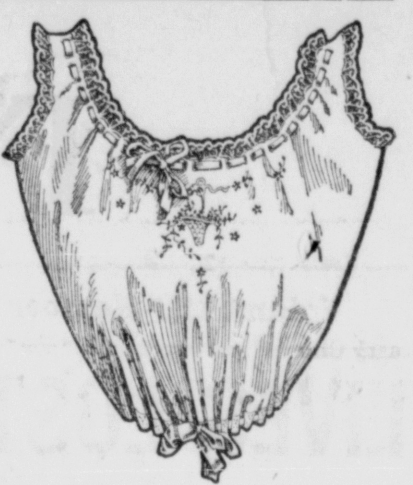
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One-Half Price One-Half

For one day Saturday Only--  
Muslin Underwear, Waists,  
center pieces and lots of pretty  
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See these in our Window  
Remember this is for Saturday Only

**Murphy's**  
THE STORE OF QUALITY



Lake and John A. Sandgren of Long  
Lake have filed their treasurer's bonds  
at the register of deeds office.

Are you getting in earnest about  
renting that property? Does your  
want ad advertising show it? Or,  
did you reach the quitting point be-  
fore you had gotten very far from the  
starting point? It's a serious busi-  
ness—this matter of a too-long vac-  
cant house or apartment. You ought  
to solve it in the one business-like  
way by using the Dispatch want ads.  
It will be properly classified in that  
column and will gain the widest cir-  
culation and publicity.

THE VERMES-CUYUNA MINING  
& DEVELOPMENT CO. has placed on  
the market at \$1 a share a small  
block of its stock, all fully paid and  
non-assessable, the money to be used  
for further development work. The  
company is now drilling its fourth  
hole on its property in section 8,  
township 46, range 29 and is down  
80 feet striking high grade ore and  
manganese. If you want stock you  
will have to hurry.—Advtd. 251tf

Candidates for city offices were  
busy today making out their state-  
ments of expenses incurred for elec-  
tion. The law is mandatory in this  
respect. Every candidate must file  
his statement, whether he spent any-  
thing or not, and file it at the city  
clerk's office. Candidates for the  
school board have no filing fee to pay  
to get their names on the tickets,  
but must put in their expense ac-  
count just the same. The candidate  
who does not file will be open to con-  
test if he is elected next Tuesday.

### COMMUNICATION

Editor Dispatch:

The Brainerd Journal-Press (ex-  
tra) has been placed on the street  
and no doubt will be circulated  
around town on Sunday. It is won-  
derful to see how the leaders of the so-  
cialist party have no one in their or-  
ganization that is not ready to have  
the white wings placed on them and  
could go to their last resting place at  
any time with the assurance of hav-  
ing a through ticket to Heaven, and  
it is also interesting to note that any-  
one who is not a socialist is not fit  
for the public to wipe their feet on, if  
we were to believe all they say. If  
there can be any one who is making  
a dirty campaign it is certainly the  
Journal-Press and the press commit-  
tee of the socialist party.

Mr. Henning has been a member of  
the council for nearly four years and  
for three years has been a member of  
the ordinance committee to revise the  
ordinances of the city, but as yet the  
work has not been done, and probab-  
ly will not be done during the life of  
this council. I also fail to see any  
account of the secret meeting held in  
Gardner hall some three years ago  
by seven members of the council of  
which Mr. Henning was one and so  
far I have never seen any account of  
what was done at that meeting—that  
is no doubt one thing that Mr. Hen-  
ning would like to keep dark.

Again they make a great handling  
of what was done when Mr. Ousdahl  
was mayor, and would like to have  
people believe that it was due to him  
and his party when the fact is they  
had only two members on the coun-  
cil and certainly could not claim very  
much credit for what was done. If  
Mr. Ousdahl could have had his way  
the city today would have been bond-  
ed for from \$150,000 to \$300,000  
more and the dear public would have  
been paying from \$8000 to \$15000 a  
year more in taxes than they are pay-  
ing now. As a financier Mr. Ousdahl  
was not a glaring success as is in-  
dicated when he advised Mr. Parker  
to invest \$10,000 in the light plant  
and from present indications it will  
all be lost. In conclusion, Mr. Edi-  
tor, if the socialist party is such a  
success, why did not Milwaukee and  
Bemidji return them to power after  
one administration as it is always the  
people who do the voting, and no set  
of men can control the vote of any  
one after he goes in the booth to vote.

If the socialists have any argument  
as to why Henry P. Dunn should not  
be reelected why do they not advance  
it. As a matter of fact not a word of  
criticism can be urged against the  
present mayor for any official act, and

when the socialists fall back on ref-  
erence to the "bunch" the "gang",  
etc., with not a word about Mayor  
Dunn's official conduct it is the clear-  
est evidence of Mr. Dunn's integrity  
and standing as an official.

A. CITIZEN.

### The "Suicide Symphony."

Frederick Nietzsche agreed with those  
who found no inspiration in music. In-  
deed, he regarded music as a nerve  
poison and declared that some mu-  
sic, particularly that of Wagner and  
Tschalkowsky, deranged the minds of  
many who heard it. Tschalkowsky killed  
himself after completing his famous  
"Sixth Symphony," which, as several  
others have died by their own hands  
after playing it, has come to be known  
as the "suicide symphony."—Chicago  
News.

## WANTS

Notices under this head will be  
charged for at the rate of one cent a  
word for the first insertion and one half  
cent a word for each subsequent inser-  
tion, strictly cash in advance, but no  
ad will be taken for less than fifteen  
cents.

### HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Ideal  
Cafe. 251tf-w1

WANTED—Porter at the National  
hotel. 253tf

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Wind-  
sor hotel. 234tf

WANTED—Boards and roomers at  
Mrs. Palmer's, 307 South Seventh  
street. 241tf

WANTED—Man for general farm  
work. Fred S. Parker, Brainerd,  
Minn. 250tf

WANTED—Good girl for general  
housework. Inquire at 616 Front  
Street. H. W. Linnemann. 252tf

WANTED—Girl who has had some  
experience in cooking. Good  
wages. Depot Lunch Room.

WILLOW RIVER—The original town-  
site—new town of importance in  
British Columbia's inland Empire.  
On Fraser river and main line  
Grand Trunk Pacific and four other  
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Acreage, 40-acre farms, address  
Pacific Land & Townsite Co., Ltd.,  
369 Richard street, Vancouver, B.  
C. Agents Wanted to 3-31

### FOR RENT.

Furnished flats for light housekeep-  
ing in Pearce block. 219tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in mod-  
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231 tf

FOR RENT—Front room with alcove,  
in modern home. Enquire of R. D.  
King, Iron Exchange. 252tf

FOR RENT—Store building, 1304  
Oak street, formerly occupied by  
Erickson Brothers. See Breden-  
berg & Erickson. 239tf

### FOR SALE

USED AUTO—Albert Angel. 115tf

FOR SALE—Working team, weight  
2600. Apply 620, 4th avenue, N.  
E. 250-t10

FOR SALE—House and three lots,  
corner Kingwood St. and Bluff Ave.  
E. Fine location, on paved street,  
cement sidewalk on two sides,  
shade trees and boulevards. All  
in A1 condition. \$1500 cash  
takes it. Hugo A. Kaatz. 249t6

### MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND—A bar pin. Owner can re-  
cover at this office. 253

LOST—A silver card case. Return  
to Ruth Parker, 412 4th St. for re-  
ward. t2

### ENGINEERING

F. A. GLASS, Mining Engineer—  
Examinations, Directions of Ex-  
plorations, Surveys and General  
Engineering. Glass' map of the  
Cuyuna is the best and is up to  
date covering mineral areas of  
Crow Wing, Aitkin, Morrison and  
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## EMPRESS

WHERE QUALITY IS PARAMOUNT  
One Hundred Per Cent of Satisfaction



## "PRINCESS BONNIE" SCORES BIG HIT

Tuneful and Sparkling Operetta En-  
joyed by a Large Audience  
Last Night

GIVEN BY THE H. S. GLEE CLUB

Cast, Chorus and the Orchestra Ac-  
quit Themselves Well and Win  
Much Applause

The "Princess Bonnie" presented by the high school glee club at the Brainerd opera house Friday night under the direction of Mrs. Prescott scored a big hit.

"I tell you that's the best show Brainerd amateurs ever gave in this town," said one citizen who has witnessed all kinds of shows for years past.

People expected a fairly good presentation and they were really surprised when they saw it. For bright, catchy music, lilting songs of principals and rousing choruses, for pretty costumes and appropriate scenery the "Princess Bonnie" excels anything ever produced by Brainerd young people.

Reviewing the cast in the order in which they appear on the program: Shrimps was ably portrayed by Werner Homestead. His desperate efforts to produce poetry caused much amusement. Werner Lund was the bluff old Capt. Tarpaun and gave a faithful characterization. Harry Fullerton was Roy Sterling, the fly fisherman who eventually marries Bonnie. His tenor voice carried well. George Berggreen as Admiral Pomposo gave a very satisfactory version of the pompous Spanish officer. Eugene White as Count Falsetti was capable in his role. Frank Johnson as Salvador, was the bodyguard to Pomposo and was so funny that even the chorus laughed at his antics. Leslie Halliday as Capt. Surf and Andrew Vaughn as Lieutenant Muses filled their parts well.

Miss Eliza Armstrong played the part of Bonnie and her voice was admirably adapted to the requirements of the role. Miss Edna Orne was Kitty Clover and gave a most charming version of the part. Marjorie Poppenberg was interesting as Auntie Crabbe. Miss Marie Adair acceptably portrayed the part of Donna Pomposo.

The choruses of canoists, Spanish dancers, Spanish students, bridesmaids and Spanish guards were very good in their singing and dancing. Many concede that they gave some of the finest exhibitions of chorus work ever seen in Brainerd.

The high school orchestra distinguished itself and played in perfect time and with a unison that was remarkable. The young musicians' organization was augmented by members of the Graham orchestra.

So large was the crowd last night and so many the appeals for another performance to enable those to witness it who were unable to be present last night, that "The Princess Bonnie" will be repeated this evening.

All are urged to buy their tickets early. Every seat is sure to be taken.

### IN NEW HANDS

The Earl Hotel on South Fifth Street  
Taken Over by Andrew Carlson  
of This City

Andrew Carlson, formerly conducting the National hotel in Brainerd and hotels in other parts of the state, has taken over the Earl hotel on South Fifth street and will thoroughly renovate and refurbish the place. The Earl is a 30 room hotel. Mr. Carlson will establish a restaurant in the building and when all fixtures and equipment arrive will keep the restaurant open day and night, serving meals, lunches and short orders.

Friends of Mr. Carlson anticipate he will make a success in handling the Earl, for he has the energy and the perseverance to build up a good business.

Language of the Austrian Army. In the Austrian army (German, Bohemian, Polish, Ruthenian, Hungarian, Slovenian, Serbian, Italian and Roumanian) are spoken. In every regiment, of whatever nationality, the words of command are given in German. Apart from the words of command, however, a knowledge of German is not required from the rank and file. All the ordinary business of a regiment is done in the language of the men, and it is the duty of the officers to acquire a working knowledge of this "regiment speech," as it is called.

## Shoe Repairing

Have your shoe repairing done by a reliable shoemaker with over 30 years experience at the trade. The best leather obtainable always used.

All repairing done neatly and promptly at reasonable prices.

**John Sundberg**  
Basement  
604 Front St. :- Brainerd

### WATER & LIGHT BOARD

Adopts Resolutions Regarding Water  
Mains on Oak Street from  
13th to 16th Streets

The water and light board, at its regular meeting, listened to a report of Secretary Wm. Nelson on the cost of thawing frozen water mains and adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, this department has for two years had frequent trouble with water main and service pipes on Oak street from 13th to 16th streets being frozen and

"Whereas this department has been to a considerable expense in thawing out these frozen pipes,

"Be it resolved that the board take such steps as are found necessary to so fix the mains or service pipes or both that said pipes shall not be frozen."

All members of the board were present. A number of routine bills were allowed. The secretary reported having received \$90 insurance money on the loss occasioned by the fire at the pumping station. He reported the repairs that were needed. The board agreed to view the station and ascertain the extent of the repairs to be made.

Commissioner Mahlum asked for more time to report on the condition of the boilers at the pumping station. City Electrician Bronson gave his monthly report.

### FOR RELIEF OF THE FLOOD SUFFERERS

At the solicitation of citizens the Brainerd Dispatch will receive cash donations for the flood sufferers at Dayton, Ohio and other points. The Dispatch will see that the subscriptions are promptly forwarded to the proper authorities.

The Empress theater has offered its entire net receipts of Monday evening's show for the relief of the flood sufferers. Assistance of the kind which Dayton needs is most appreciated when promptly supplied. The public spirit shown by the Empress theater should be appreciated by all and the popular play house should be filled each performance on Monday night, March 31. Remember, you will see a good show and your money will help stricken humanity.

Contributions received will be promptly acknowledged and dispatched to Governor J. M. Cox, president of the Red Cross society for Ohio.

Brainerd Homestead, No. 602, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, at its meeting last night donated \$10 for the relief of the flood sufferers.

Contributions to date:

A. O. U. W. lodge No. 47 ----- \$25.00  
B. A. Y. Homestead No. 602 -- 10.00

### NOTICE

To our citizens:

Owing to the general call for aid for the flood sufferers in Indiana and Ohio, I hereby urge the citizens of Brainerd to respond liberally in assisting suffering humanity. I hereby designate The Brainerd Daily Dispatch to receive and forward contributions and sincerely trust our good citizens will act promptly.

H. P. DUNN,  
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State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY,  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public,  
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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Advt.

### ANNUAL MEETING

To the lot owners and to the citizens interested in the future welfare of Evergreen cemetery:

The annual meeting of Evergreen Cemetery Association will be held at the Probate court room on Tuesday evening, April 1st, 1913, at eight o'clock sharp.

This meeting is for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business as may be for the best interests and future welfare of Evergreen Cemetery.

Every lot owner is a member of this association and is entitled to a vote for trustees. Suggestions by the citizens in general will be very much appreciated by those who will conduct the business of the association for the coming year.

MILTON McFADDEN,  
Secretary.

### RESOLUTION

Be it Resolved, that the assessment heretofore levied to defray the cost of paving East Oak street be and the same is hereby amended as affecting lot one (1), Sleeper's addition as follows:

Outlot No. 1 Sleeper's Addition, 71 feet, \$74.67.

Adopted March 22nd, 1913.

C. B. ROWLEY,  
President of Council.

Attest:  
V. N. RODERICK,  
City Clerk.

Approved March 28, 1913.  
H. P. DUNN,  
Mayor.

Published March 29, 1913.

## BUSY DRAFTING COMMISSION GOVT.

Charter Commissioners Have a Meet-  
ing Friday Night and Take up  
Various Selections

SALARY OF MAYOR TO BE \$1800

Two Commissioners' Salaries Placed  
at \$1600 Each—Term of  
Office Defined

The charter commissioners were in session Friday evening. Col. Halsted presided and in the absence of Secretary Henry I. Cohen. H. F. Michael was appointed secretary pro tem.

The commission government amendment as drafted by Attorney Haggard was taken up section by section, discussed and suggestions made, and where satisfactory adopted.

The administrative force of the city is to be a mayor and two commissioners. All shall give their entire time and attention to the work. They are to be elected for a term of six years. At the first election the mayor shall hold for a period of six years, one commissioner for four years and one commissioner for two years.

The annual salaries were fixed as follows: Mayor \$1800 and the commissioners \$1600 each.

At present, said a member of the charter commission, the city is paying \$4,800 annually for administrative work which will be delegated to the mayor and commissioners. The saving this commission would make for the city would be for efficiency, as the mayor and commissioners would give their constant attention to the city's business.

The mayor is to be the president of the council and the chief executive officer of the city. During the absence of the mayor the commissioner whose office expires soonest shall perform the duties of the mayor.

All meetings shall be public. Two public meetings shall be held the first and third Friday evening of each month at which the minutes of all intervening meetings shall be read.

The mayor shall have no veto power. The aye and nay vote shall be recorded on all propositions coming before the council. This will serve to keep a record of every man.

### BUSH WITH REGULARS

Philadelphia North American Pays  
Tribute to Brainerd Boy Now  
With Connie Mack

The Philadelphia North American, the leading paper of Philadelphia and one that carries the live sporting news of the day, runs Bush's picture at the top of the page and next to that of Daley. The North American says:

"Outfielder Daley and Pitcher Bush have impressed Manager Mack by their work in the southern training. Daley, the former Pacific coast star, has shown excellent form in the field and at the bat. He is also fast on the bases. He will be one of the utility outfielders.

"Pitcher Bush, who comes from the middle west, was with the team in the closing days of last season. He has terrific speed and is mastering a good assortment of curves."

Bush is now with the regulars and pitched three innings in the Nashville game, allowing no hits. The special states: "Plank, Bush and Brown, pitching for the Philadelphia Americans, held Nashville to four hits and won, 6 to 0. The Athletics made nine hits off Case and Fleharty, of the Nashvilles, but Hendee, a recruit, held them hitless during the last three innings.

"Bush's triple in the fifth was the longest hit of the game."

When Bush traveled from Brainerd to Missoula, Mont., his work was followed in the west by the mentions the Daily Missoulian gave him, and in the same manner now that he has risen to higher company, the Dispatch will exchange with the Philadelphia North American and follow his career.

Talk is heard about having a crowd of fans make the trip to Chicago whenever Bush is put in the box for the Athletics. The band will be taken along and it will be made a sort of feature play for Brainerd and its pitcher.

### SHOULD HAVE CREDIT

Brainerd, Minn., March 29, 1913.  
Editors, Daily Dispatch:

In your issue of the 25th there appeared a contributed article concerning the Stoner proposition. I am not opposed to the Stoner proposition if the rate is right, but if my vote in any manner induced Stoner to reduce his bid of one-fourth of a cent as the published article states he has, then I think I should have some credit for it. One-fourth of a cent reduction on a million K. W. means \$2,500.00 saving to the city in a year or \$20,000.00 in the eight years the contract has to run.

Possibly the voters of the Fifth ward think I should be criticised for saving the city \$20,000.00. I am willing they should decide it next Tuesday.

W. F. DIECKHAUS

### IRONTON

Peter Spina is making preparations to build his \$50,000 hotel early in spring.

Business is good in Ironton and the mines are employing many men. The towns looks for a most prosperous season this summer.

### DRIVE INTO AIR HOLE

Ten Persons Thrown Into Lake Near  
Merrifield—All are  
Saved

Merrifield, Minn., March 29—While crossing Long Lake, a short distance from Merrifield, a party of government engineers, James McDaniel, Jack Woffens, J. E. Lawton, Gus A. Reifler and Thor Thompson, and their field assistants, C. A. Simenson, Luther Hyde, Guy Bilyen and P. B. Cluff, who were packed in a bobsled and driving a team of heavy work horses, crashed through an air hole which had been covered with a thin layer of ice and snow during the day. Cluff became entangled in the harness and was thrown against the horses and kicked in the face and head. The remainder of the party, unable to release themselves from the blankets, were pulled over the ridge and slid into the icy water. Lawton and Thompson rescued Irene Gessell, age 10, who was riding the runners and was thrown into the deepest water. The shock and exposure have left her in a serious condition. It was discovered later that the airhole was immediately over a peculiar sand ridge in the lake, the water on the side in which the horses plunged being thirty feet deep, and on the other, where the bobsled hung, only five feet deep. This was no doubt responsible for the entire party being saved.

### EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

Series of Meetings to be Held at the  
Baptist Church Commencing  
Sunday, March 30

A series of evangelistic meetings will be held at the First Baptist church beginning next Sunday, March 30. Rev. R. E. Cody, the pastor, is to be assisted by Rev. E. H. Rasmussen, state evangelist for the Minnesota Baptist convention and Rev. W. E. Risinger of Minneapolis, director of Sunday school and young people work in Minnesota.



REV. E. H. RASMUSSEN

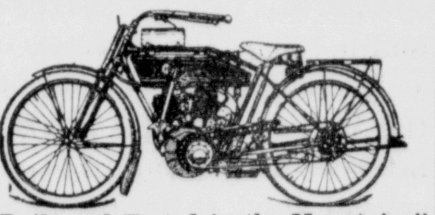
Rev. Rasmussen has been in this work in Minnesota for six consecutive years and has been highly commended for his strong, aggressive and sane evangelism. He is a pleasing and forceful speaker and has won great success in his work. He will preach next Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is invited.

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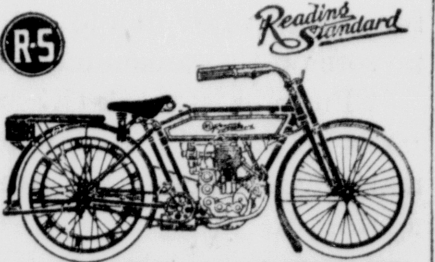
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### STORIES FROM THE FARM

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The story is told of a farmer in the woods who was making the air blue skidding out logs and he was approached by a neighbor friend who wanted him to join the church.

"Dod blasted!" he said. "I ain't ready for it yet. Wait until I get through hauling this gol derned wood."

The story is told of another man of the soil who approached a blacksmith of Brainerd and suggested there was money in a manufacturing way in canning.

"What should we can?" asked the blacksmith, almost won over by the farmer's plans.

"Well," rejoined the agriculturist, "we should can something that's badly needed these days and will sell good, I think."

"What's that?" queried the man of the anvil and forge.

"Why, can honesty," said the farmer. "They need a lot of that all over the United States."

**Divination.**  
Seers (mysteriously)—There is a dark something in your life which promises to give you trouble.  
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### Where to Worship

Christian Scientists services every Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M., Elks hall, Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:30 a. m., evening service at 7:45 p. m., Sunday school noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. Boquist, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Juniper and Sixth streets: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12, Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Elbert E. Satterlee, pastor.

The pastor will preach morning and evening. The Bible school will meet at twelve. Last Sunday broke all records of attendance there being present 214. The missionary collection was nearly \$28.00 this being besides the regular monthly missionary collection which averages about \$7.00. The Epworth League meets at six forty-five and is followed by the evening service. There will be special music at both services.

Sermon: "The Restoration of Peter," this will be the first of three sermons on "Post Resurrection Events." Music: anthem, hymns, responses, gloria, by mixed quartet. Evening sermon: "Religious Bigotry." Music by duet.

Swedish Baptist: Preaching at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at 12:00 m., Young People's Society meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting Thursday evening at 7:45. Kom med till Herrens hus! Karl A. Lundin, pastor.

Presbyterian church: Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:50. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00. All are always welcome. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

Sermon subject "All Churches for Christ." What a State Sunday school convention of Duluth means to our church. Music: "I Was Glad," Wilson by choir. "Be Thou with Me," Prayer, Von Hiller by Miss Rhea. "Nature's Easter," Lorenz by choir. Evening sermon "What Kind of a Man Should a Girl Marry?"

Swedish Lutheran church, corner Norwood and Broadway. Services in the basement of Incompleted new church. Morning services 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at noon. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Rev. Elov Carlson, pastor.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, near corner 10th and Bluff avenue. Unless otherwise announced the following order will be observed as nearly as possible: Morning services 10:30 a. m., first and third Sunday every month. Evening services at 7:45 p. m., every Sunday in the month except the 4th, when the pastor is regularly at Pequot. No evening services Easter day, Pentecost or similar occasions. C. Hougstad, pastor.

First Baptist church, 324 Nora Sixth street. Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at noon. Baptist Young Peoples Union 6:30 P. M. Evening services at 7:30. Rev. R. E. Cody, pastor.

Rev. E. H. Rasmussen will preach at the morning and evening services of the First Baptist church.

St. Paul's Episcopal church. Holy communion 8:30 a. m., except first Sunday in each month. Then 10:20 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11:00 a. m. Sunday school at 10. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Rev. Bernard Campbell, rector.

First Congregational church, corner Juniper and Fifth street. Morning worship 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45 P. M. Evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitation to all services. Rev. G. P. Sheridan, pastor.

German Evangelical Bethlehem congregation. Services are now held in our new church building, on Bluff Ave., near Kingwood, on west side of East Brainerd bridge. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school

right after services. Everybody is most cordially invited to be present. Lenten evening services every Wednesday evening at 7:45. E. Bratzel, pastor.

Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church—420 South Seventh street. Sunday services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school 12:15 P. M. Rev. M. L. Hostager, pastor, residence 717 South Seventh street.

Zion's Evangelical church—Fourth Avenue and Forsythe Street, North east. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 30 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Young People's alliance at 6:30 P. M. Everybody is welcome. A. Zabel, pastor.

Salvation Army, 219 South Fifth street. Meetings at the Army during the week are on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 P. M. Sundays at 11 a. m. and 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Capt. Johnson.

St. Francis Catholic church, North Ninth and Juniper streets—Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney, pastor. Rev. John Crean, assistant pastor. Hours of service: Sunday mass 6:30 A. M. at St. Joseph's hospital. 8 A. M. at St. Francis church. 9:15 children's mass. 10:30 high mass. On Wednesdays, mass at St. Francis church at 7:30 A. M. and at St. Joseph's hospital at 6:30 A. M. Vespers at St. Francis church at 7:30 P. M. every Sunday evening, except during the months of July and August, when there are no evening services.

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## Proposed Charter Amendment

### Its Purpose Stated by the Commission

#### To the Voters of the City of Brainerd:

As there are perhaps some who do not clearly understand the purpose of the proposed amendment to the City Charter, to be submitted for your approval on Tuesday, April 1st, the members of the Charter Commission desire to make the following statement:

The amendment provides that each year an amount equal to the interest on the water and light bonds of the City of Brainerd, held by the State of Minnesota, shall be transferred by the City Treasurer from the fund in his hands belonging to the Water and Light Board, into a special Street Improvement Fund, which fund will be used solely for the purpose of defraying the expense of paving, or otherwise improving, the crossings and intersections of the streets of the city, and such other portions of such streets as are in front of property exempt from assessment and belonging to the city.

The interest on these bonds is paid by a special levy made by the state, as is usual when the state makes loans, so that this interest charge is paid by the people direct, and not from the revenues of the water and light service, as it should be. The amendment, if adopted, will require the Water and Light Board to pay an amount equal to such interest, amounting to \$1,600 per annum at present, into a special fund to be expended solely in special street improvements which otherwise must be paid out of the general fund of the city.

This amendment was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Charter Commission, and its importance and justice should be apparent to all. If adopted at this election considerable street paving can be done this season. As it requires three-fifths of the total vote to carry, it is important that every voter should vote upon the question. Failure to vote on this amendment is equivalent to voting "No."

Put a cross mark (X) on the ballot opposite the word "Yes" if you wish to vote for the amendment, and a cross mark (X) opposite the word "No" if you wish to vote against it.

A. J. HALSTED,  
E. KRONBERG,  
HENRY I. COHEN,  
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